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COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)Docket No.
50588/279

In Re Application Of: James Nichols

Serial No.
09/654,317Filing Date
September 1, 2000Examiner
John ManningGroup Art Unit
2614

Invention: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR INTELLIGENT BUFFERING AND BANDWIDTH ALLOCATION

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of November 21, 2003 in the above-identified application.

Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month ☒ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: February 21, 2004

Date

until: April 21, 2004

Date

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

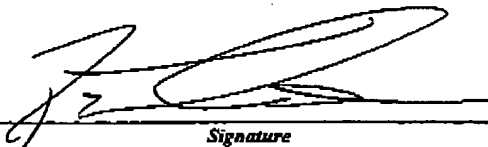
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	29 -	26 =	3	x \$18.00	\$54.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	5 -	3 =	2	x \$86.00	\$172.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$226.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$420.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$646.00

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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A ^{PTO-2038} check in the amount of \$646.00 for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of \$646.00
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 502375
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☐ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☐ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. _____


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